

REMARKS

Claims 4-10, 12-13, 23-27, 46-49, 55-57, 62-66, 75, 78-79, 81-87, 89-111 are now pending.

Claims 5, 6, 7, 9, 12, 13, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 46, 48, 49, 57, 63, 64, 65, 75, 78, 79, 81, 83, 85, 86, 87, 89, 90, and 93 are amended. Claims 94 through 111 are new. Claims 1-3, 11, 14-22, 28-45, 50-54, 58-61, 67-74, 76, 77, 80, and 88 are canceled without prejudice.

Support for the amendments may be found in the specification and original claims as shown, for example, in the following tables:

Amended Claim	Support
5	original claim 5
6	original claim 6
7	original claim 7
9	original claim 9
12	original claims 11, 12
13	original claim 13
23	original claims 22, 23
24	original claim 24
25	original claim 25
26	original claims 22, 26
27	original claim 27
46	original claims 35, 46
48	original claim 48
49	original claims 49, 35
57	original claim 57
63	original claim 63
64	original claim 64
65	original claim 65
75	original claim 75
78	original claim 78
79	original claim 79
81	original claim 81
83	original claim 83
85	original claim 85
86	original claim 86
87	original claim 87
89	original claim 89
90	original claim 90
93	original claim 93

New Claim	Support
94-103	original claim 86
104-109	original claim 87
110	original claim 89
111	original claim 90

Examination and consideration of the application as amended is requested and allowance of claims 4 through 10, 12, 13, 23 through 27, 46 through 49, 55, 56, 57, 62 through 66, 75, 78, 79, 81 through 87, and 89 through 111, as amended, at an early date is solicited.

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